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RESPONSE

In response to the action mailed July 14, 2000, please consider the following amendments and remarks.

In the Specification:

Replace the paragraph at page 11, lines 18-31, with the following paragraph.

G! Phospholipids were also tested as enhancers. It was found that a single-chain phospholipid (lysophosphatidylcholine) was an effective enhancer, while one double-chain phospholipid (didecanoylphosphatidylcholine) was not. This may be explained by the fact that the double-chain phospholipid is much less soluble in water than its single-chain counterpart; however, it is reasonable to expect that double-chain phospholipids of shorter chain length, having greater water solubility than their longer chain counterparts, will be of use as enhancers in the present invention so that both single- and double-chain phospholipids may be used.

In the Claims:

Replace the claims as follows.

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